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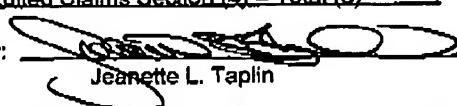
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 23, 2004 (copy enclosed), attached please find an edited copy of the IN THE CLAIMS section (namely pages 2-5) of the Amendment originally submitted on September 27, 2004. The captions "Original" have been added to those claims which were not amended.

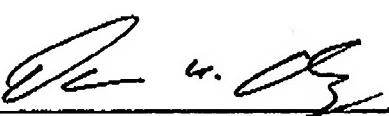
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